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Sir:

In reference to the subject application, enclosed please find twenty four (24) sheets of formal drawings (Figs. 1-42) for filing in the above-identified patent application.

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